## IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE VIRGIN ISLANDS DIVISION OF ST. CROIX

MARIA ESPIRITUSANTO,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	CIVIL NO. 2007-0042
V.	)	
	)	
DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND	)	
SECURITY, U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND	)	
IMMIGRATION SERVICES, AND	)	
MARIA ARAN, DISTRICT DIRECTOR	)	
OF U.S. CITIZENSHIP AND	)	
IMMIGRATION SERVICES PUERTO	)	
RICO, U.S. IMMIGRATION CUSTOMS	)	
ENFORCEMENT ST. CROIX DISTRICT,	)	
ATTORNEY GENERAL, ALBERTO	)	
GONZALEZ	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	
	_)	

## **ORDER**

## FINCH, J.

THIS MATTER comes before the Court on a Motion to Dismiss or, in the alternative, for Summary Judgment filed by Defendants. After careful consideration of the Motion to Dismiss this matter for lack of subject matter jurisdiction, pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 12(b)(1), or in the alternative for Summary Judgment pursuant to Fed. R. Civ. P. 56, and being fully advised in the premises, the Court finds as follows:

This Court lacks subject matter jurisdiction of this matter, in as much as the relief sought by Plaintiff, i.e., for the Department of Homeland Security, United States Office of Citizenship and Immigration Services (CIS) to schedule an interview on the I-130 petition filed by Victoriano Espiritusanto and the I-485 filed by Maria Espiritusanto has already been granted by

CIS. Plaintiff, in her prayer for relief, specifically asked this Court to compel CIS to make a decision

on her I-130 petition and CIS has made this decision, granting the relief sought in Plaintiff's

complaint for mandamus. Since CIS has already granted Plaintiff's request, there is nothing for

this Court to determine or to compel CIS to do by way of mandamus. Defendant CIS's voluntary

actions renders the relief requested in Plaintiff's complaint moot. Since there is no case or

controversy before the Court, it is hereby

**ORDERED** that Defendant's Motion to Dismiss for lack of subject matter jurisdiction is

**GRANTED**; and it is further

**ORDERED** that Defendant's Motion to Deem Conceded Defendant's Motion to Dismiss

is **DISMISSED**.

ENTERED this 30<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2008.

HONORABLE RAYMOND L. FINCH U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE

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